GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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FOREIGNERS IN DETENTION CAMPS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the condition of foreigners in detention camps in Assam alongwith the provisions of law under which these camps were set up;

(b) whether there are any manuals/guidelines regarding the status and treatment for these detainees;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) to (c): The detention centers have been set up in the State of Assam under the provisions of section 3(2)(e) of Foreigners Act, 1946 and para 11(2) of the Foreigners Order 1948 imposing restrictions on the movement of declared foreigners/illegal migrants till deportation to their place of origin. The declared foreigners/illegal migrants in detention centers in Assam are governed by the norms applicable to jailed inmates under Assam Jail Manual.

(d): In view of (a) to (c) above, does not arise.